



Deam Lake SRA Schedule of Events Labor Day Weekend September 4th-7th



Friday, September 4th

10am-7pm: Forest Education Center Open: With new activities to do and exhibits to see, the Forest Education Center is the place to be. We have extended the hours of operation for Labor Day Weekend.

3pm: Snake!: Learn all about the snakes of Indiana, with the help of our resident Black Kingsnake, Houdini. Meet at the Forest Education Center.

5pm: Smokey Watch: Smokey is somewhere at Deam Lake! Follow the clues to find Smokey and he may have something for you. You can find the first clue at the Forest Education Center.

8pm: Full Moon Hike: Join our Naturalist for a hike lit by the full moon! Discussion will include local history, wildlife, and forest ecology.

Saturday, September 5th

11am-7pm: Forest Education Center Open: With new activities to do and exhibits to see, the Forest Education Center is the place to be. We have extended the hours of operation for Labor Day Weekend.

1pm: "Walk In The Woods" Family Nature Hike: Join Deam Lake Naturalist Rocky Brown for a short, family friendly hike on Hiking Trail #1 (approximately 30 minutes, .6 miles). Discussion will include local wildlife, forest ecology, and local history. Meet at the campground gatehouse.

3pm: Snake!: Learn all about the snakes of Indiana, with the help of our resident Black Kingsnake, Houdini. Meet at the Forest Education Center.

5pm-7pm: Fishing Derby: Intended for children 5-10, the fishing derby will include instruction by our Naturalist on basic fishing skills (how to dress, bait, and cast the pole, etc.). Contests will include longest cast, biggest fish, and most fish. Meet at the catwalk near the boat ramp area.

Sunday, September 6th

11am-7pm: Forest Education Center Open: With new activities to do and exhibits to see, the Forest Education Center is the place to be. We have extended the hours of operation for Labor Day Weekend.

11am-7pm: Smokey Bear's Forest Treasure Hunt: Decode the forest-related clues to find Smokey Bear's Treasure! Prizes will be given to the first 15 successful groups. The first clue can be picked up at the Forest Education Center.

1pm: "Walk In The Woods" Family Nature Hike: Join Deam Lake Naturalist Rocky Brown for a short, family friendly hike on Hiking Trail #1 (approximately 30 minutes, .6 miles). Discussion will include local wildlife, forest ecology, and local history. Meet at the campground gatehouse.

3pm: Wonders of Indiana Wildlife: An interpretive talk regarding our local wildlife with the aid of both live and "mounted" animals native to Indiana. Meet at the Forest Education Center.

5pm: Hike To The Top: Join our Naturalist for a hike to one of the highest points at Deam Lake SRA on the Lake Vista Trail. Discussion will include local wildlife, forest ecology, local history, and hiking etiquette. This is considered a moderate to rugged hike, and will last around an hour and a half, so please come prepared with water, repellent, appropriate shoes, and some motivation. Meet at the campground gatehouse.

Monday, September 7th

10am-4pm: Forest Education Center Open: Make one last stop by the Forest Education Center before going home. There is plenty to do and see!

